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Parliamentary sleaze-buster stands for the BNP in Bexley

THE CHAMPION of exposing recent parliamentary sleaze, Michael Barnbrook, is standing for the British National Party in the Christchurch Ward By-Election for Bexley Council on July 3rd.

He was instrumental in securing the investigations into the financial irregularities of three Members of Parliament and was responsible for reporting Old Bexley Conservative MP Derek Conway, to the Parliamentary Commissioner for Standards for his misappropriation of taxpayers' money. He currently has three other investigations on-going into Members of Parliament, relating to expense claims. Michael is very well qualified for these investigations after spending 30 years

with the Metropolitan Police, four years of which were spent stationed at Bexleyheath Police Station as an Inspector.

Now retired, he is married with two children and has six grandchildren.

Right at the top of his list of issues that urgently need addressing in Bexley is anti-social behaviour, knife crime and violence in general.

"They are all on the increase in Bexley," Michael told *Freedom*.

"As a former police officer I believe it is time that we started to look after the law-abiding members of society and not the criminals. We must ensure that decent people are able to go about their business without fear or harassment."



MICHAEL BARNBROOK



In his now trademark beige suit, the BNP's London Assembly member Richard Barnbrook, awaits his turn to tackle London Mayor Boris Johnson.

BNP make history

Richard Barnbrook becomes the first British National Party elected representative to address the London Assembly

Report & Photo by Bob Gertner

RICHARD Barnbrook made history when he attended the London Mayor's opening question time session with the new London Assembly. Journalists and the public packed the gallery of the debating chamber to witness the event and heard the first ever British National Party representative make his mark by raising a number of issues.

The first official question to be asked in the London Assembly by an elected BNP member

concerned pensioners: Richard asked:

"During the election campaign you promised all retired Londoners a 24 hour travel freedom pass. When will this pledge be honoured?"

Boris Johnson said it would be looked at when the new fare review took place next year.

Richard also tackled the Mayor of London on how the ban on alcohol consumption on public transport was to be enforced.

He was on his feet again to suggest that one way to tackle the youth knife crime epidemic

in our capital was to channel teenagers' aggression through the formation of new boxing academies, an idea which the Mayor said he supported.

Richard also had the floor on the housing issue and said that the planned Thames Gateway development of 25,000 homes to be built on Rainham marches could be environmentally catastrophic as the area was a natural flood plain. Richard Barnbrook's performance throughout the two hour meeting was thoroughly professional and he was a credit to the British National Party.



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There was only ever going to be the one outcome to the Keith Brown murder trial



by Martin Wingfield

OUR thoughts are with the family of Keith Brown who conducted themselves with such dignity during the ordeal of the trial of Habib Khan.

Justice was not seen to be done, but that was because the script for this tragic saga was written long ago and there could only ever be one outcome. Despite this loss of life being caused because of a dispute about property and boundaries, it was portrayed as something completely different because an astute defence council knew that by introducing race and the BNP into the equation it would give his client a better chance of getting off.

And get off he did, being found not guilty of murder but convicted of manslaughter. That in part might be due to the media's coverage with ridiculous headlines such as "BNP activist fell on knife says Asian neighbour" and reports that referred continually to Mr Brown as a "BNP activist" and Mr Khan as a "Muslim Elder".

One of the nine British National Party council-

lors on Stoke City council, Michael Coleman, summed up the feelings of many when he told journalists outside the court:

"If Keith had killed Khan in the same circumstances I believe he would be facing years behind bars for murder and would not have got away with manslaughter."

The people of Stoke will give their verdict on this miscarriage of justice at the next round of elections in the city. In the rest of the country, a few more eyes will be opened to the unequal society that we now live in - if you are White and British and in dispute with someone from an ethnic minority, the odds will be stacked against you.

But for Keith Brown's family there is just a terrible void that can never be filled and the knowledge that British Justice wrote off the life of a father, a husband and son as next to worthless just because he had been a member of the BNP and had been killed by a Muslim 'elder'.



MICHAEL COLEMAN: Outside court.

Righteous anger & political action

THE British National Party believes in telling the truth, even if it is sometimes uncomfortable to hear or offensive to those who would rather bury their heads in the sand than face real problems in our society.

But while we often pass quite critical comment on the impact of immigration, multi-culturalism and alien religions on the indigenous people of our lands, we have no animosity towards immigrants, their descendants or the followers of non-native religions.

Nor do we intend to encourage others to feel such animosity, or believe that

anything we have to say is likely to 'stir up hatred' against anyone. In fact, we believe that by providing a peaceful and Constitutional outlet for the anger and the frustration felt by millions of our people over the undemocratic transformation of our country by our political masters, the BNP actually defuses tensions.

Where there is 'hate' we seek to turn it into righteous anger and political action against the only people who deserve to be hated - the politicians who use our taxes to turn our country into a place where we often feel like strangers in our own land.

West Wales BNP councillor wins plaudits at first meeting



"WELL DONE": Kevin Edwards

KEVIN Edwards, the British National Party councillor on Llandybie Community Council in West Wales won the plaudits of his fellow councillors at his very first council meeting.

Llandybie Council had requested a breakdown of how their local county representatives spent their £5,000 personal allowance.

Just one county councillor responded and he said that his colleagues were of the opinion that these were county council funds, and nothing to do with the community council.

Llandybie community clerk Megan Bevan, was worried it might be "discourteous" to insist the other councillors revealed their expenses and it was this suggestion that drew a sharp response from Kevin Edwards.

"It's a bit discourteous of them not

to send us a reply," he said. "As public servants they should make it clear where the money has gone."

"They are accountable to the people who elected them - I, for one, would certainly like to know where this money went."

"If the money has been spent legitimately, why don't they come forward and say so?"

Members agreed that the county councillors would be allowed more time to respond. After the meeting Kevin Edwards told *Freedom*:

"It was nice that some of the councillors who had shunned me and tried to keep me off committees at the inaugural meeting said, 'well done,' as we were leaving. Hopefully this means we can now start working together for the good of the community."

BNP leaflet campaign exposes Tory council's planning scam

BRITISH National Party councillors in Leicestershire have taken on the Tories over a planning application the Conservative-run council wanted to push through without any public consultation.

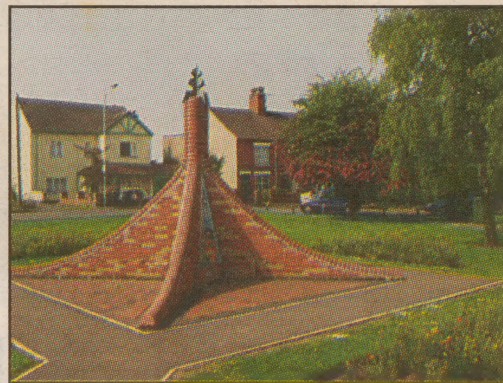
The proposed development is for a 72 acre industrial and distribution development by UK Coal at the South Leicestershire Coal Disposal Point off Beveridge Lane in Ellistown. The largest unit would stand 58ft high and cover seven acres. The site would require more than 800 vehicles a day, the most of them heavy lorries, and all using the already busy Midland and Whitehill Roads.

The matter was first due to go before the planning committee of North West Leicestershire District Council despite there having been no public consultation on the huge development, so BNP councillors Graham Partner and Ian Meller, went into action and produced an *Ellistown Patriot* newsletter which informed local residents of the Tory Council's intention. "Ellistown does not need

this development," said the leaflet. "Think of the pollution and the noise, 24 hours a day and seven days a week. It won't contribute anything to the community and will hit already falling house prices even further."

The Tories tried to claim that the development would create hundreds of job opportunities, but this was rejected by the BNP councillors who said that it wouldn't be local people that were employed but HGV agency drivers and

ELLISTOWN: The new development will not benefit local people.



low paid migrant workers.

The Tories were livid that their best laid plans had been exposed by the British National Party and they launched a bitter attack on the BNP councillors at a full council meeting during a discussion about the new Planning Committee proposals.

Graham Partner told *Freedom*:

"They verbally attacked the BNP in an attempt to justify their own culpability in the planning decision. We sat quietly, content in the knowledge that right was on our side."

"Nothing the Tories said or will ever say can cover up the fact that they did not wish the people of Ellistown to know about the application in question. The scam was only exposed thanks to the BNP leafletting the area before the planning meeting."

With Labour in disarray across the country it is being left to the British National Party to stand up for the rights of ordinary people against the big business and the back-handers that so typifies the excesses of Cameron's Conservative Party.

BNP wins 17.2% in South Somerset

ONE-in-six voters in the South Somerset town of Chard chose the British National Party in a council by-election on 29th May.

Such was the shock at the BNP vote that Robert Baehr was featured on the following Sunday's BBC Politics Show. He provided a contradiction the media's image of the British National Party as young and booted skinhead thugs and proved an excellent choice of candidate.

Robert is a local organic grower and environmental campaigner dedicated to promoting self-sufficiency, the only lifestyle that in years to come will ensure the survival of the British people.

The Politics Show interviewed him and showed footage of Robert back

SOUTH SOMERSET DC

Chard Crimchard Ward

Thursday 29th May 2008

Jenny Kenton (Lib-Dem)	423
David Mears (Con)	320
Robert Baehr (BNP)	154
BNP Percentage	17.2%

in the 1990s campaigning to save thirty tress on Yeovil's Wyndham Hill from council bulldozers

The BBC programme also revealed that the Labour Party has admitted that it did not stand a candidate in Chard to ensure that the Liberal Democrat candidate beat Robert Baehr. But the word on the doorstep in the town was that they did not stand for fear of being beaten by the BNP.



ROBERT BAEHR: Environmentalist

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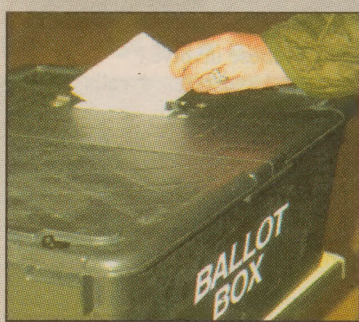
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Ballot box seals broken in BNP target ward in Manchester

AT 7.00am on Thursday May 1st voters with polling cards were being turned away from a polling station in the Higher Blackley ward in Manchester and told that they were not entitled to vote as they were not on the list.

The polling station in question was St Clare's which is in an area where the British National Party enjoys a large amount of support so BNP candidate Derek Adams, was quickly advised of the situation and went to the station to investigate.

He was told by an official that mistake had occurred and that some people entitled to vote had been refused a ballot slip, but that the problem had been rectified. While he was there Derek saw the seal number on the ballot box number 130.



During the count at Manchester Town Hall, when the boxes were presented for opening, he noticed that Box No 130 now had different seal numbers. The count was halted at his request and an elections official was called who admitted that the seals had been broken because the lid had been put on the box the wrong way.

She acknowledged that the box had been illegally opened and the seals changed without all the candidates, their agents or the police being informed.

Even armed with this information, the returning officer insisted that nothing untoward had occurred and that he was quite happy with the box despite the fact that it had been tampered with.

This is local elections Labour style, every bit as corrupt as their Government and councils, which cling on to their gravy train at all costs.

So the next time you hear an establishment politician complaining about the fixed results of elections in far off lands, just remind them that such abuses of democracy are taking place here as well.

Tory council boss insults Hainault's Jews & veterans

JULIAN Leppert, the BNP councillor for Hainault ward on Redbridge Council, has registered a formal complaint with the Standards Committee following a serious breach of the Members' Code of Conduct by the council's Conservative leader Alan Weinberg. At a full council meeting he called the British National Party a "Nazi Party". When Julian Leppert requested he withdraw this remark and apologise, he not only refused to do so, but repeated it - effectively calling the BNP councillor a "Nazi".



JULIAN LEPPERT: Requested apology.

Julian said that Weinberg's name-calling was insulting to the many British Jews and WW2 veterans living in Hainault who are BNP members, supporters and voters and as their elected representative he could not let his words go unchallenged.

"I'm asking the Standards Committee to reprimand Alan Weinberg and for him to fully retract and apologise for his "Nazi" slur against both myself and the BNP," Julian told *Freedom*.



HAVING: Mark Logan with staff outside the RSPCA office in Harold Hill.

BNP battles to keep RSPCA office open

WHEN the RSPCA office in Chippenham Road in Harold Hill was closed, local residents turned to the British National Party to ask for help.

A deputation approached Mark Logan, the BNP councillor for Gooshays ward on Havering Council, and asked him if he could do anything to get the office opened again.

He contacted the newly appointed Chief Executive of the RSPCA, Mark Watts, to find out the exact reasons behind the closure:

"I wrote to Mr Watts and Gregory Brown, the RSPCA Branch Development Advisor for the South East, and got a prompt response," Mark told *Freedom*.

"It transpired that the branch was in urgent need of finance, the office had become dilapidated and was in need of refurbishment."

Since his election back in February, Mark has been busily engaged in setting up a Community Action Team. This is a group of volunteer tradesmen - decorators, carpenters, electricians, plumbers, builders

and odd job men - who offer their services free of charge to Gooshays residents who need vital work done but are unable to afford it.

The Community Action Team has already helped an elderly resident with some minor construction works, and carried out a small refurbishment for another. Now the group has agreed to help renovate the RSPCA building for the charity.

To help finance the project there was the distribution of 10,000 British National Party leaflets in Harold Hill with a full page highlighting to plight of the RSPCA office, and Mark has been delighted with the response from the public.

"It's looking promising," he said. "Over £100 was raised on the first day alone. Whilst the office is closed an audit is being conducted and once that has been completed the upgrading work can start. Thanks to the British National Party, the RSPCA office in Chippenham Road will hopefully re-open again soon, and this time it will be on a much firmer financial footing."

Pat Richardson mentioned in C4 'Dispatches'

ONE of the British National Party's Epping Forest district councillors Pat Richardson, is to feature in the Channel 4 *Dispatches* programme.

During the television documentary, which attracts millions of viewers and is scheduled to be screened in July, she will speak candidly about her attitude towards Muslims living in Britain.

Mrs Richardson, who was the BNP's first Jewish councillor, was interviewed for the programme during the local election count at Waltham Abbey Town Hall in May, where she was elected to represent the Loughton Broadway ward.

Along with fellow BNP party members, she was questioned about her views on British Muslims by the show's producer James Jones.

Pat told *Freedom*: "He was very polite and he followed us around throughout the morning."

"I told him I think there are many moderate Muslims living in Britain just going about their day-to-day lives, but that they end up being treated with suspicion because of radical Muslims who carry out attacks which devastate peoples' lives."

"Hopefully the programme will show me in a positive light but you never know how these things are going to be edited - so we shall just have to



PAT RICHARDSON: Interviewed.

wait and see."

Channel 4 *Dispatches* producer James Jones, explained the reasoning behind his decision to include the BNP councillor:

"I chose to interview Pat Richardson as a subject because her background and political views make her an interesting subject."

"I'm hoping what we're putting together will make informative and entertaining television."

Newspaper drops story just because Cathy Duffy sets the example in Charnwood



CATHY DUFFY: 100% attendance.

THE Head of Democratic Services at Charnwood Council, David Dalby, was worried when the *Leicester Mercury* asked for information concerning councillor attendance records for the year just ending.

He was concerned because the average attendance for Charnwood councillors was 22.4 meetings year. He warned the councillors:

"We have prepared the information and I'm concerned that the figures might be misinterpreted to show

some councillors in a bad light.

"Lower than average attendance might be through no fault of the councillor - for instance, illness and personal circumstances may have caused them to attend less meetings."

David Dalby might have been fretting about how the media might see the attendance record of some Tory, Labour and Lib-Dem councillors, but he had no such worries over Cathy Duffy, the British National Party's sole representative on Charnwood Council. Her attendance record was exemplary - she was one of just 3 councillors out of 53 who had a 100% attendance record. Cathy, who represents East Goscoe, was pleased that her performance as a local councillor this year showed her leading the way by never missing a meeting.

"These figures do not include all the Sub-Licensing Panels and Appeals & Review Panels that I have attended. I am also a member of the Shared Services Members' Reference Group and am on the Charnwood Area Forum." But the story never appeared in the *Leicester Mercury*, and we all know the reason why. . . it wouldn't dare print a report that showed a BNP councillor working harder than councillors from the other three parties.

BNP attracting Labour supporters

LABOUR MP Frank Field, is worried that the Labour Party is losing its core support to the BNP.

Writing in the *Sunday Telegraph* the Labour MP for Birkenhead warned that politicians shouldn't attempt to stifle debate on immigration.

"The white English working class, and some black Britons too, are voting against unlimited immigration by embracing the BNP."

"Voters are on the move. Once the BNP gets a sizeable cut of the Labour working class vote it may be impossible for a Labour Government to re-establish the status quo," he said.



FRANK FIELD: Labour MP.

Church Council cancels charity event

THE Church Council has cancelled an annual church fund-raising event in Clarbrough, near Bassetlaw because the organiser stood as a British National Party candidate at the local elections in May.

The BNP's David Otter has hosted the popular village fund-raising barbecue at his Hayton home for the last 20 years, generating thousands of pounds for many local charities and the village's St Peter's Church.

Hayton Church's Rev Mark Cantrill, said the decision was made at a specially convened meeting of the Parochial Church Council (PCC).

"The PCC noted Mr Otter had recently stood as a British National Party candidate, which raised the issue of the relationship between the policies of the BNP and Christian teaching."

David Otter told the local newspaper that he was surprised and disappointed by the decision of the Church Council.



DAVID OTTER: Surprised.

A day in the life of the petrol crisis!

On the very same day that truckers protesting about soaring fuel prices drove through London, the oil companies were announcing record profits.

The cost of petrol is rising on a daily basis and it is now at a level that is leading to the bankruptcy of hundreds of small and medium-sized haulage companies.



LONDON BOUND: Truckers' protest

At the same time oil firms Royal Dutch Shell and BP were able to announce better-than-expected first-quarter profits thanks to the rising price of oil, which is close to \$120 a barrel. Shell made profits of £3.9bn in the first three months of the year, up from £3.2bn a year ago. BP saw its profits rise 48% to £3.31bn while Anglo-Dutch firm Shell reported annual profits of £13.9bn for 2007, a record for a UK-listed company.

The average price of petrol at British pumps is a record £4.99 a gallon but this hasn't stopped OPEC, the Islamic-dominated oil producers' cartel wanting more.

OPEC has said that it will soon be looking for \$200 a barrel (35 gallons) from Western economies for its oil - 10 years ago it was just \$10 a barrel.

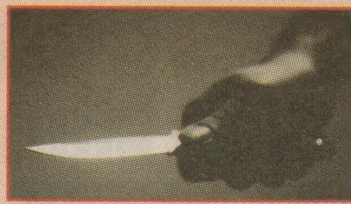
The rise of knife crime in New Labour's Britain

MORE than 2,500 people have been stabbed to death on the streets of Britain since New Labour came to power in 1997.

In 2006, the last for which full sentencing statistics are available, 7,817 people were found guilty of carrying a knife but just 72 were given a prison sentence with the typical offender serving just eight weeks behind bars. Of the remainder some escaped with a fine, others with a

community sentence but many of those caught in possession escaped with just a caution.

The Government refuses to release figures with regard to the ethnic make-up of those involved in knife crime fuelling the suspicion that immigration is one of the main reasons for it spiraling out of control. Critics also suspect that Labour's softly, softly approach to knife crime has something to do with the ethnic



profile of those involved.

Ministers have refused calls from victims' groups for mandatory jail terms for those carrying a blade, arguing that there aren't enough prison places to accommodate those that would be jailed... *and that's because our prisons are full of foreign criminals and that again is due to immigration.*

It will be British innovators & businessmen who top the Rich List in our BNP Britain

FOR ordinary Britons, times are hard because last year prices went up 7% while pay went up just 2.5%

But the global super-rich, who Labour has encouraged to flock to our shores, have never had it so good.

According to the latest Rich List, the top 1,000 richest people in the country now have more than £400billion between them, up almost £53billion in the last year under Gordon Brown as Prime Minister. Since Labour came to power the super-rich living in Britain have just got richer, and they have also got more foreign!

When the Rich List was first published in 1989, 7 of the top 10, and all the top 3, were native Britons. Today only 3 of the top 10 richest were even born here. Of the 75 billionaires who live in Britain, 40 are foreigners.

In 1989, HM The Queen was the richest person in Britain. Today she has been replaced by Indian steel tycoon Lakshmi Mittal.

The second richest man in Britain is Chelsea owner Roman Abramovich, who saw his fortune increase from £10.8bn to £11.7bn this year. New entries in the top 10 include steel and mines magnate Alisher Usmanov - the largest shareholder in Arsenal football club - who comes in at number five with £5.7bn. Abramovich



LABOUR'S FAT CATS: Mittal, Abramovich, Duke of Westminster and Usmanov.

and Usmanov owe their wealth to plundering the people of the former Soviet Union when the US-sponsored Yeltsin regime put their industry and resources up for grabs.

The third richest, the Duke of Westminster, is at least native to these shores, though he owes his fabulous £7 billion fortune not to any talent or effort on his part but to the fact that his ancestors 200 years ago owned the fields on which London's west End was built. He can just sit back and let the rent roll in.

Times are harder for honest British businessmen whose enterprise and hard work has actually benefitted our country and whose money has been fairly earned. Virgin boss Sir Richard Branson, for example has seen his net worth fall by £400m to £2.7bn and has dropped nine places in the list, down from 11th in 2007 to 20th

today. So whilst we struggle to meet soaring mortgage payments, food and fuel bills on almost static income, it's clear where our Government's priorities actually lie. The 11 years of Labour rule have been better for the super-rich than having a Tory Government because it has neutered any opposition from more traditional Labour MPs. The British National Party is the only party left that still cares about ordinary British working families. We don't want the global super-rich coming here to exploit our tax system and we will confiscate any ill-gotten gains and extradite those facing charges back to their own countries. **Our Rich List will be made up of hard-working British businessmen and innovators who have fairly earned their money working for the benefit of the British people.**

Research exposes Labour's lies over immigrants

IT is immigration from the Third World that has caused Britain's population to swell so dramatically in recent years.

New research by the Government's Office for National Statistics revealed that between 1991 and 2006, 2.3million immigrants arrived to live permanently in Britain with the vast majority of them coming from Africa and Asia.

During the same period, around 1.6million Britons left the country - emigrating in the main to Australia, the United States, Canada, New Zealand and Western Europe.

Since 1997, 1.8million foreign-born economic migrants have also come to Britain to look for work.

The figures undermine the Government's claim that the majority of immigrants come from the new EU member states and that they return home. The reality is that those who come are almost entirely from Third World countries and they are unlikely to return home.

£2million a month in child benefit is sent to Poland

CHILD benefit payments for Polish children living in Poland are costing the British taxpayer £33million a year.

Nearly £2million a month is being sent back to 36,000 children still living in Poland, whose parents are living and working in Britain.

EU rules state that parents are able to claim the payments if they have worked in Britain for a year.

The study also reveals that the number of workers applying for the payouts - which amount to £977 a year for the first child and £652 for younger children - has nearly doubled in the past 12 months.

Thirty schools don't have a White pupil

MORE than 30 state schools in England are made up solely of ethnic minority pupils with no white children on the roll.

The figures were only released because of a Freedom of Information Act request.

These latest findings come just days after official data showed that almost 500,000 children in primary schools and a further 350,000 in secondary schools only have English as a second language.

They account for one in seven of Britain's total school population.



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BNP to contest Henley by-election

THE British National Party is to contest the Henley by-election on Thursday 26th June.

Our candidate will be Tim Rait who at the last General Election was the BNP candidate for Maidenhead.

The constituency is true-blue Tory with the Lib-Dems coming a distant second. The interest in the election will be how the Labour vote holds up and who will come 4th out of the Greens, UKIP and the BNP.

Our campaign teams have been canvassing hard and there is a small outside chance that we might reach 5% of the vote and save our deposit.



LAST TIME

GENERAL ELECTION

Henley Constituency

Thursday 5th May 2005

Boris Johnson (Con).....	24894
David Turner (Lib-Dem)....	12101
Kaleem Saeed (Lab).....	6862
Mark Stevenson (Green)...	1518
Delphine Gray-Fisk (UKIP)	1162

LEFT: British National Party candidate Tim Rait, out canvassing in Henley with our London Assembly member Richard Barnbrook.



BNP looking to become a challenger in Chadwell Heath

IN the Top-Up List vote for the London Assembly for Chadwell Heath Ward in Barking and Dagenham, the British National Party came third behind Labour and the Tories.

The full result was:

Barking & Dagenham Council
Chadwell Heath

Thursday 1st May 2008

Labour Party	636
Conservative Party	567
British National Party	390
Liberal Democrats.....	135
UK Independence Party	94
Green Party	67

Now there is a by-election in Chadwell Heath on July 3rd and the BNP candidate is 24 year-old James Webb. He is an electrical engineer who was born in Dagenham and stood as a BNP candidate in Village ward in 2006 where he was just 15 votes short of becoming

the BNP's 13th councillor in Barking and Dagenham.

Chadwell Heath is a real Labour and Conservative Party battleground



JAMES WEBB: Just 15 votes from becoming the BNP's 13th councillor in Barking and Dagenham.

with all the other parties normally squeezed out, but the votes on May 1st show that the BNP is now emerging as a serious challenger here.

Once again Labour are employing the help of a 'UKIP candidate' to try to syphon off a few BNP votes.

The UKIP candidate is Kerry Smith, whose sister, Nadine Smith, just happens to be a Chadwell Heath Labour councillor and whose elder brother Liam Smith, just happens to be the deputy leader of the Labour group on Barking & Dagenham Council.

The line-up for Chadwell Heath are:

Terry Justice (Con)
Ashley McIlroy (Ind)
Margaret Mullane (Lab)
Kerry Smith (UKIP)
James Webb (BNP)

Chadwell Heath Ward, May 4th 2006:
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Ind 560. UKIP 385, 376.

EURO-ELECTION APPEAL

The British National Party is on the verge of a major breakthrough into mainstream politics. In May, the BNP achieved another good set of local election results and gained representation on the Greater London Assembly. In June 2009 it's the European Elections and it is vital that we continue to make progress.

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WHITBY HARBOUR: British fishermen have to sit and watch as Spanish and French fishermen unload their catches.

Foreign fishermen plunder our mackerel and whiting

by Trisha Scott

ANOTHER example of the European Union's destructive interference in Britain's affairs is the invasion of our waters by foreign fishing boats.

And to make matters worse these French and Spanish intruders are also catching fish which our own fishermen are banned from netting. Due to European quotas, British trawlers are not allowed to fish for mackerel and whiting, yet French and Spanish boats can land these fish, and do it quite legally under the quota system!

To add insult to injury, they then unload their catches at Whitby in North Yorkshire, whilst the local fishermen can only look on. A recent catch by a French trawler included over a ton of mackerel and 300 boxes

of whiting.

The Yorkshire fishermen are, understandably, upset. Over the past 10 years great efforts have been made by them to protect our fish populations which have been recovering. Closing areas at sea and fewer days out fishing have gone a long way to conserve stocks.

But the foreign fishermen have no such restrictions, having seriously depleted their own stocks of fish by careless fishing methods, they employ the same tactics in our seas, thus undoing all the good work done by our fishermen.

Membership of the European Union penalises the British fishing industry and allows our fish stocks to be plundered. That is why a BNP Government will leave the EU at the earliest opportunity.

EUROPOL gets new powers in Britain

DETECTIVES from any European Union country are now able to carry out investigations and even make arrests on British soil due to a new EU agreement.

Previously, European police could travel to this country to share intelligence – but could not make arrests. But now members of the European police force Europol are able to form Joint Investigation Teams using officers from each national force.

The agreement removes Britain's veto over any future changes to Europol's powers and is typical of



Labour's failure to stand up for the British national interest in Brussels. The British National Party believes that responsibility for policing and security must remain in the hands of the British Government.

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EU law will put UK hauliers out of business

THERE will be more foreign lorries on Britain's roads following the passing of a new European Union law, passed by the European Parliament last month, which will allow European haulage contractors to take on more work whilst their lorries are in the UK.

Overseas hauliers use cheaper fuel and unregulated labour, particularly from Eastern Europe, and British operators claim they will be unable to compete. Under current legislation

foreign transporters are banned from striking formal deals with British companies for jobs here, but once the rules change their access to British markets will be made

that much easier. By filling up with diesel abroad which is 14p a litre cheaper than here and by using cheap foreign drivers, they will be able to undercut British haulage firms and capture the lion's share of the market.

The Freight Transport Association claims that the EU law change will put hundreds of British hauliers out of business because it will create unfair competition with most foreign companies operating to a much lower standard than UK firms.



by Steve Johnson

WHEN top British carmaker MG Rover was sold off to the Chinese in July 2005, we warned that this meant the end of production at the Longbridge plant.

We also said that promises from the Chinese to the contrary were worthless and the plan all along was to ship Rover and MG production to their cheap labour plants at home and shut the Midlands plants down.

Rover's purchaser, Nanjing Automobile Corporation (SAIC), has now merged with Shanghai Automotive Industry Corporation (SAIC). When it unveiled its latest model it was a cut-down clone of the Rover 55 called the "Roewe 55". The name is because, when Ford sold MG Rover to China, they kept the Rover name copyright so they could sell it to Tata with Jaguar and Land Rover.

The "Roewe", is a British design, being made in China and there is no indication that any cars will ever be made here. Indeed the Chinese have sold off much of the Longbridge plant site to property developer St Modwen. Most of the tools and equipment from the old plant have already been shipped to China and promises made at the time of the Chinese takeover to keep a production plant going there are looking increasingly hollow.

GONE FOREVER:
A century of car production at Longbridge has been dispatched to the history books.

Roewe signals the end of 100 years of car production at Longbridge

An open-topped sports car, the MGTF, was supposed to be being built under Chinese management at Longbridge but it hasn't appeared.

Motor industry analysts are now coming to the conclusion that – just as we warned – volume carmaking will never come back to Longbridge. SAIC has no interest in producing cars in the West. It already owns 51.9% of the Korean carmaker Ssangyong, and is setting up a dealer network in Britain and Europe based on the Ssangyong franchise to sell imported Chinese-made cars here, including, no doubt, Chinese made MGs and 'Roewes'.

It's cheaper to build cars in China and ship them to Britain and in the global market it is only making a profit that counts.

SAIC don't care about British workers and their families in the West Midlands and neither does this Labour Government. It shouldn't have allowed MG Rover to have been sold off and should have brought it back under State control to ensure the future of volume car production in Britain and a secure future for the Longbridge workers.



BNP will ban sheep imports

THE European Union has decreed that the electronic identification of sheep must be compulsory from 2010.

This will place increasing financial and practical burdens upon British farmers and will put them at a competitive disadvantage compared with imports, as the standards with which importers have to comply are well below those required of UK farmers.

The technology used for the electronic identification of sheep also has major flaws, including reliability, which brings into question the credibility of the decision. A British National Party Government would not only

scrap the proposals but also leave the European Union and ban all sheep imports. The lamb and mutton consumed in Britain would be born, bred and slaughtered in Britain by British farmers on British-owned small farms.



SHEEP ID: Will give imports an unfair advantage over home grown sheep.

Nissan bribe

NISSAN is shifting the manufacture of its next-generation Micra to India from its Sunderland plant in the UK. It is only thanks to a £6.2million bribe from the Labour Government to the Japanese firm that the factory is staying open.

730 jobs go in Grantham as M&S looks overseas

NORTHERN Foods have announced that its Fenland Foods site in Grantham which prepares Italian ready made meals for Marks & Spencer is to be 'mothballed' from August.

730 jobs will be lost at the Lincolnshire factory as a result of the withdrawal of M&S product lines at the plant. The factory broke even last year with £45million of sales.



COSTS: Increased wheat and dairy prices makes pizzas more expensive.

M&S wanted a cut in prices but managers argued that with rising wheat, beef and dairy prices along with increased energy costs any reduction just wasn't feasible. So M&S pulled its business from the firm and will now look abroad for product lines where the operating costs are much cheaper.

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Preparing children to serve society and our nation

PPRIVATE schools should be nationalised. That's according to the incoming President of the biggest teaching union, the National Union of Teachers, speaking to the NUT's National Conference in Manchester.

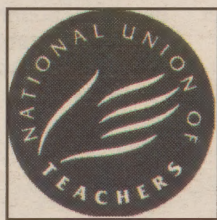
Bill Greenshields said:

"Let's consider bringing all schools into the state sector, then we would soon see some urgent improvements in our state system".

He was highly critical of the Labour Government's policy of selling off city schools as "academies" to big businessmen, calling it privatisation of education by stealth.

Even though the NUT is regarded by many as a Marxist dinosaur, Mr Greenfield has a point, up to a point. Currently private schools educate fewer than 7% of our children, but account for almost half the entrants to Oxford and Cambridge. Partly because of social snobbery and the "old school tie", but also because they have the money to provide a high standard of education, hiring the top teachers in lavishly-equipped classrooms. They also provide scholarships to the brightest children from less-well off families and have a far higher standard of discipline in the classroom.

Such elite schools should be open to the best and brightest of all our children, selected on merit rather



MARXIST DINOSAUR:
Or does the NUT's Bill Greenshields make a valid point?



than because their rich parents can buy their way in. They should be the training grounds for our top scientists, engineers and military officers. But the British National Party believes that bringing in some schools at the top of our state system and making them genuinely "public schools" is only the start of what is needed. We need to go back to the basics of the 1944 Butler Education Act and reform our failing education system from the bottom up.

Schools should be focussed on preparing our children, from each according to his or her abilities, to each according to their needs, to serve society and the nation. A society and nation that needs more electricians, plumbers, fitters, engineers, chippies

and brickies, farmers and craftsmen, scientists and soldiers and doctors and nurses. And fewer accountants, lawyers, City wide boys, bureaucrats, corporate apparatchiks and holders of third-class degrees in "Media Studies" from the University of Luton.

Technical and craft education needs to be massively resourced. It was the neglect of this vital component by successive Labour and Tory Governments that wrecked the original 1944 educational vision.

Schools for future workers by hand need as much support, and prestige, as those for future workers by brain. Children should be sorted and guided over a period of several years toward the type of education which will best bring out their own unique talents, mental, physical, artistic or whatever and place them most effectively at the service of the nation.

The uniqueness of all of our children should be celebrated and harnessed to bring out in each of them their own separate, personal, and essential contribution to the family and unity of the Nation.

A contribution which they need to be taught to value and take pride in. All Britons, doctor and dustman, cyberneticist and carpenter, physicist and farm labourer, are needed, working together to build our nation's future.



PUBLIC SCHOOLS: They should be open to the best and brightest, selected on merit rather than because their rich parents can buy their way in.

'Albania' Bob rages at BNP in reply to local health care query

THE BNP's first local election results in Derby have rattled the Derby North Labour MP Bob Luxton, who is known by many of his constituents as Albania Bob for his campaigning on behalf of Albanians both in Britain and back in their native country.

In Allestree ward Glynn Cooper polled 11% for the British National Party and in Chaddesden ward, Paul Hilliard received a more than encour-

aging 654 votes which was 18% of the total votes cast.

These results must have been playing on Bob's mind when he received a letter from one of his constituents over problems he has been experiencing trying to find an NHS dentist. Unfortunately this chap happened to mention the healthcare received by illegal immigrants and that reference set Albania Bob off. The MP ranted in his reply:

"With regard to your suggestion that you would get better treatment if you arrived as an illegal immigrant, I find this assertion to be ridiculous. I am sorry that you have been led to your beliefs by propaganda that is peddled by the disgraceful, fascist, racists of the BNP and it is for this reason that they are quite rightly shunned by every respectful political party."

The recipient was astonished by the reply he received, in part because he had never mentioned the BNP in his letter to the MP.

Maybe he had just caught Bob at a bad moment. Probably after he had just returned from a meeting of the All-Party Albania Group at the Houses of Commons where he is campaigning for MPs to ratify the Albania Stabilization and Association Agreement.

At a meeting with Albanian dissidents recently the Derby North MP said he was worried about freedom of speech in Albania because the media denies opposition groups access (*just like here then - Ed*) and that he wanted to see the creation of a pro-Albanian lobby in the British parliament with the purpose of helping them improve the image of Albania in the UK.



WESTMINSTER: Bob Luxton isn't meeting constituents from Derby North, but Albanians worried about press freedom in Albania.

Migrant workers and immigrants target South East

GREEN fields in south-east England will have to be concreted over so new houses can be built to provide homes for Britain's growing immigrant population.

The Government wants councils in this already over-crowded region to sanction planning permission for another 36,000 houses to help alleviate the queues for taxpayer-subsidised social housing.

Last month local government chiefs said that five million - one in ten of

England's population - will be on waiting lists for council or housing association homes by 2010.

The extra pressure in the south east comes from migrant workers taking low-paid jobs and second generation immigrant families moving out of London to look for a better environment to bring up their children.

Ministers are now acknowledging that 40% of new households over the next two decades will be formed by newly arrived immigrants.



GREENBELT LAND: In the already over-crowded south-east, it's the only place left to build on.

Notting Hill Cruddas denies a Dagenham family their home



DAGENHAM MP Jon Cruddas likes to portray himself as 'a man of the people' when in fact he is a champagne socialist typical of the current breed of New Labour politicians.

Jon Cruddas claims to live locally in Dagenham, when actually he lives in a luxury half a million pound apartment in sought-after Notting Hill which is also where he sends his children to school.

He says he needs this second home in exclusive Notting Hill to be near Parliament which is 4 miles away, even though his Dagenham house is only 13 miles away.

Cruddas has told the House of Commons fees office that his 'main home' is the one in Dagenham. He claims Additional Cost Allowances to pay for mortgage interest, white goods (fridge, freezer, washing machine

etc) and furniture on his '2nd home' in Notting Hill.

It's a cynical exploitation of a loophole in Commons' regulations which allows him to claim for the cost of mortgage interest on a flat in Notting Hill that he doesn't really need.

Last year Jon Cruddas received £21,535 in Additional Cost Allowances just below the maximum he could claim of £22,110. His total claim came to nearly £120,000 and this is on top of his £59,000 salary, generous pension scheme and incidental expenses limit of £20,440.

But the real scandal of this sorry episode is that his house in Dagenham is for cosmetic purposes only. He doesn't really live there and by holding on to this empty ex-council house just to con the voters, he is depriving a local family of an affordable home

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Moving into the SNP's heartland

MEMBERS of the North East Scotland unit of the British National Party paid a visit to Alex Salmond's home town of Strichen and every house there received a back issue of *Freedom* along with a BNP policy leaflet.

Only two people did not want a paper and politely returned them, while almost everybody else spoken to was

friendly and very interested in what the BNP had to say.

Strichen lies in the SNP heartland and has yet to be 'culturally enriched' which is probably why the town had more than its fair share of white-flighters. These were people who openly admitted that they had settled in the town to escape the effects of uncontrolled mass immigration.



GLASGOW: BNP papersellers are confronted by angry mob of opponents.

Bravery on Buchanan Street

by John McGuire

GLASGOW'S Buchanan Street is the heartbeat of the retail district and an area where on any given Saturday Scottish Socialists, Communists and Islamic groups meet to distribute their literature. But on a Saturday at the end of May four BNP activists entered this *Lion's Den* to sell the British National Party's newspaper *Freedom*. Glasgow organiser Charlie Baillie, visited Strathclyde Police to inform them of his intention and plan for the day. He was told that officers would be present in the area on the day to ensure they would be able to sell their newspapers unhindered. Naturally the rabble were upset and encircled the four activists, screaming obscenities. Refusing to be

intimidated the BNP members stood firm and received support from brave members of the public who still came forward to buy copies of *Freedom*. During the day the mob grew and became more threatening, bringing Buchanan Street to a standstill with amazed shoppers and retail staff looking on in disbelief at the now 40 strong mob of thugs surrounding the papersellers. Thankfully the police then intervened finding the situation serious enough to call for back up. They then formed a protective cordon around our members and ensured the public were able to buy the newspapers without facing intimidation and abuse. The day was a success for the BNP with the public seeing the bravery and dignity of British National Party members in the face of a mob.

Maurice is cycling 100 miles to raise Euro Election funds



by Wayne McDermott

MAURICE Collett is cycling 100 miles from his home in Leicestershire to Skegness on the Lincolnshire coast on the first Sunday in July to help raise

funds for the East Midlands Euro Election Fund.

This bike ride has the potential to raise a good sum of money towards our Euro Election fund and help us move the party to new heights in the East Midlands.

Maurice is doing the hard work so the rest of us just need to ask fellow friends, work colleagues, family, and people at your pub or local sports club to sponsor his effort.

There will be a chance for everyone to come along and see Maurice cross the finishing line but in return you will be expected to do two hours leafleting in Skegness and help man a *Freedom* sale stall.

If you wish to sponsor Maurice's bike ride please contact East Midlands BNP at eastmids@bnp.org.uk

£300 raised at NE Essex meeting

by Jim Taylor

THERE were 35 members and supporters at the meeting of the North East Essex Group held on 21st May in Brightlingsea.

Significantly, one-third were ladies who also contributed by far the most to the question and answer session held at the end of the meeting.

The guest speaker was Alisdair Lewis, the chairman of the Southend Branch of the British National Party who entertained the meeting with a well presented talk based on his extensive travels, about

how Third World cultures were now becoming more common place in the West.

The meeting was chaired by Jim Taylor, and joining him and Alisdair on the top-table were Patrick Sullivan, Colchester's first BNP council candidate who beat his Labour opposition, and Keith Beaumont, the BNP contact for the Tendring District.

After the speeches everyone enjoyed the tasty refreshments provided by Carol Geal and Tracey Worsley and contributed to the collection which raised over £300.



BRIGHTLINGSEA: Meeting Chairman Jim Taylor, introduces guest speaker Alisdair Lewis from Southend BNP.

Nick & Simon speak in Shropshire

by Karl Foulkes

BEING one of England's most rural and sparsely populated counties, Shropshire has never been a place traditionally associated with nationalist politics.

But now due to the hard work and dedication of our members and supporters, the Party is gaining support and becoming an established part of the local political landscape - as anyone who attended the last Shropshire meeting will testify.

The chairman for the meeting was North Shropshire Organiser Phil Reddall and he introduced Deputy BNP Chairman Simon Darby, who with his trademark mixture of humour and intelligence, had the audience both enthralled and amused. He was followed by Nick Griffin who delivered one of the most informative and inspiring speeches ever heard at a Shropshire gathering. Speaking for well over an hour, Nick covered a wide range of subjects

such as Peak Oil, the ongoing crisis facing Britain's farming and fishing industries and the need for greater national self sufficiency.

At the end of the speech, the 70 plus members of the audience showed their appreciation with a two minute long standing ovation.

Afterwards, it was time for guests to socialize and enjoy a superb buffet prepared by our hardworking members Helen and Raynor. A collection raised a total of £265.



SHREWSBURY: North Shropshire Organiser Phil Reddall, introduces Simon Darby and BNP Chairman Nick Griffin.

East Midlands training seminar

by John Ryde

THE East Midlands region of the British National Party continues to roll-out its seminars for training local members to the highest standards of electioneering and administration.

Last month eight local officials attended an IT skills session at a venue in rural Leicestershire and during the

day the mysteries of the mail merge as well as canvass sheet preparation and the analysis of the results from the information gathered, were explained in detail.

It is these newly acquired skills that are helping the British National Party in the East Midlands to contest local elections in the most professional way, equal at the very least to the campaigns of the three main parties.





VALUE FOR MONEY: Not only are BNP councillors Ian Meller and Graham Partner very cost effective they also defend the interests of local residents. Here they are photographed in front of an area for a proposed development in Beveridge Lane, Ellistown, which the Tory Council wanted to push through without public consultation.

BNP councillors are working the hardest to look after your interests

by Wayne McDermott

BRITISH National Party councillors often have a difficult time in the council chamber with little or no help or support from the representatives of the other parties. BNP councillors know they have to work extra hard to look after the interests of their constituents because as they are not members of the Lab/Con/Lib-Dem Club, our opponents will be doing everything they can to hinder their efforts. After a year in office our three councillors in Leicestershire have a track record to be proud of and one to put the old gang parties to shame. The average attendance of our councillors is 98.2% with our councillor in Charnwood, Cathy Duffy, attending 100% of her meetings. Councillors Graham Partner and Ian Meller on North West Leicestershire

council have only missed one meeting giving the BNP an average attendance on NW Leicestershire District council at 97.6% compared with Labour 93.6%, Conservatives 86.8% and Lib Dems 73.5%.

When looking at the amount of money each councillor has been paid per meeting they have attended, our councillors make the BNP the most value for money Party on the council with Graham Partner attending 40 meetings this year for his basic allowance - not a penny more, unlike the old gang councillors - while Ian Meller is the 4th best out of the 38 councillors.

Again the BNP is the only party whose councillors are taking just the basic allowance. Even the Lib-Dems who claim to be so community-friendly have two of their three councillors taking more than the basic and all the

while NW Leicestershire council services face cutbacks because of lack of funds.

The worse record on the council is that of Edward Blunt, the Conservative councillor for Ibstock. He is currently facing court appearance on a drink drive charge and his attendance record is just over 40% with each meeting attended costing the local council tax payers £515.43.

Our Leicestershire councillors are doing the British National Party proud. Local activists worked for the three victories and our councillors are repaying that commitment through their work on the council.

Over the past 12 months they have learned the work of the council and with every week that goes by are gaining more experience and managing to out-perform councillors with many more years on the council.

Residents bullied over mosque plan

FLEUR WHITE reports from Nottingham on a local efforts to stop a mosque being built.



WHEN it was reported in the *Nottingham Evening News* that the Muslim community in West Bridgford in Nottinghamshire were seeking planning permission for a large two storey mosque and school on land behind the Asda supermarket in the town, local residents were worried.

A public meeting was called by Rushcliffe Borough Council so that those opposing the development could voice their concerns and members of Nottingham BNP went along to hear what was being said. Almost the entire audience was against the mosque and just one lady objected to the general consensus saying that a Muslim wouldn't try to stop a church being built in their locality and that those at the meeting were 'racist' to oppose the planning permission.

Not surprisingly she was supported

by the councillors on the top table particularly forcefully by the rude and rather obnoxious councillor, Harry Tipton (Cons), demanding that all British National Party members leave the meeting.

One BNP member was able to address the meeting before the microphone was snatched away. They asked:

"Is the scale and location of the proposed development proportional to the needs of the actual local community or just to the desires of another community?"

Our democratic right to free speech was denied us and we were startled by the ferocity of the elected representatives who shouted us down from the stage. They were guilty of psychological bullying, expecting the audience to cower behind a curtain of political correctness and to cite excuses such as parking problems and noise instead of voicing the real concern of those present.

That we feel threatened by a religion and a politically orientated culture that is wholly incompatible with a Christian Britain and that we expect our elected representatives to do something about it.



INSERT: The site of the proposed mosque

WEST BRIDGFORD: Councillors tell the meeting that it is 'racist' to oppose the mosque just because of concerns over the rapid growth of Islam in Britain.

More memories from May 1st



Delighted in Rugby

No wonder BNP election agent Ian Donaldson, and candidate Joanne Felvus-McCarron are looking delighted.

Joanne had just polled 16.3% in Rugby's Lawford and Kings Newnham ward trouncing both the Labour and the Liberal Democrat candidates.

The British National Party were just 384 votes behind the winning Tory candidate.

Happy in Coventry

Happy and smiling faces from the BNP contingent at the Coventry count. It was another solid performance from Coventry BNP standing in 13 wards across the city. In the nine seats contested by both the BNP and the Lib-Dems we ran out comfortable 7-2 winners.



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FALSE: Turkish St George

Re-writing history for political ends

by Dr Donald Stevens

IN response to the letter from Glenn Richards in last month's issue of *Freedom*, he was quite justified to be surprised that Sandwell Council were advertising its famous St George's Day parade with a knight wearing an Islamic tunic.

It is believed that St George lived in what is now Turkey and therefore some have deduced that he was Turkish. However, at the time of St George, the Turks had not yet settled there and the

inhabitants were mainly Greek. George is a common Greek name with 'ge' meaning earth and 'orge' meaning work, therefore George was 'a man who worked the earth' - a farmer. It is definitely not a Turkish name.

The error of those who dressed St George in Islamic green with Turkish symbols at best typifies the lack of knowledge of history and languages today, or at worse is yet another attempt by politicians to re-write history and falsify the past for their own political ends.

Real art with a story to tell

by Trevor Agnew

SO the Tinsley cooling towers which stand by the M1 near Sheffield are to be demolished.

They are an imposing indicator to drivers, letting them know that they are entering the North of England.

They stand moodily and artistically, dominating the steel city skyline.

And they ARE art. A living art which is a stepping stone into an industrial golden age when Britain was a world leader. A monument to the efforts and achievements of the British worker.



Unlike what passes as art today, these towers have a story to tell, a link to local people and they were once useful.

But to the powers that be, they are an awkward reminder of how British industry has been devastated and the working class sold out.

Millions of drivers, and voters, see them and it pricks people's consciences about what Britain has lost. And that is one of the main reasons why the days of these monoliths of South Yorkshire are numbered.

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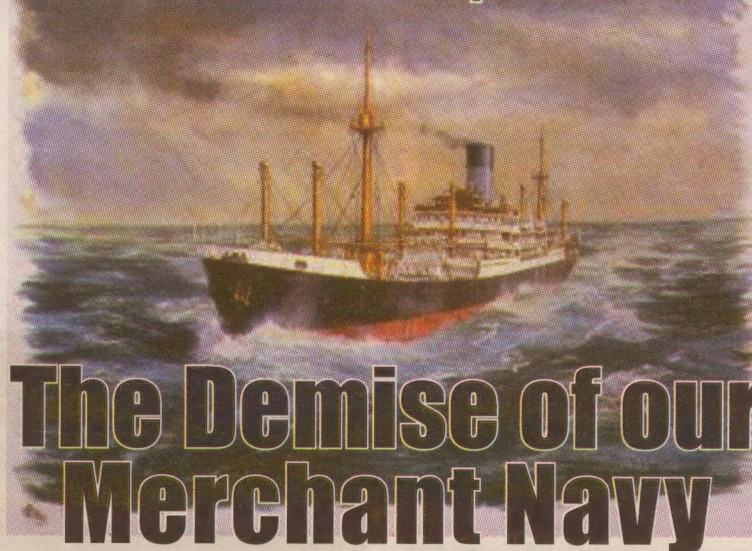
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A naval officer speaks out



The Demise of our Merchant Navy

BRITAIN'S Merchant Navy has a proud history from the days of armed merchantmen to the invaluable support they provided in the wars of the last century.

Britain used to have one of the greatest merchant fleets in the world, with vessels plying their trade all over the globe. Sadly this is no longer the case because new international laws have changed the Merchant Navy beyond recognition.

Successive British governments have accepted these laws with no regard for the consequences to British jobs in the industry and the reduced merchant tonnage now operating with British crews.

It is the International Maritime Organisation which is behind the changes, introducing new legislation which favours Third World tonnage and seafarers.

Initially, training and certification was governed by the *Standards of Training and Certification of Watch Keepers* which came into force in 1978. This laid down the minimum qualifications required for the certification of marine professionals. These rules served our fleet well and allowed the certification of officers and men in accordance with our trade requirements.

The British fleet had three areas of operation, namely *Home Trade* (coastal areas including the Irish Sea, North Sea and local trading areas), *Middle Trade* which covered to the Mediterranean and Black Sea and *Foreign Going*.

Under the regulations it was possible for people to train and obtain qualifications which would allow them to sail in their relevant level in whichever area of operation they chose. But then the International Maritime Organisation decreed that revisions were needed to harmonise the certificate structures worldwide.

The tonnage limit of coastal vessels was reduced from the original 5000 and 1500 limits to a paltry 500, which has no practical use at all. The limited European Trading Area was revised to *Near Coastal* which limits people qualified in this area to 150 nautical miles off the UK coast and 30 nautical miles off Eire, where previously it allowed people to navigate vessels across the whole North Sea.

The changes have led to a shortage of qualified personnel and this gap is now being filled by mariners from Third World countries. They benefit from lower costs, reduced college fees and adaptations to the current legislation which favour their naval organisations. These people often have limited English which presents a danger in itself.

Our Merchant fleet is coming to the end of its days because the Government is not standing up and defending the industry.

In the not too distant future, all seafarer, shore-based ship pilot and associated jobs will be filled by foreigners, and one of Britain's great institutions and the skills that go with it will have been lost forever.

Sally Wood

STRAIGHT TALKING

Allotment Wanted



ONE of my earliest memories is of peering through railings at an elderly neighbour tending his plot in the allotments at the end of my road in South London.

I still think of that today when I flash passed in the train and spot the same site. The allotments have long since disappeared only to be replaced by an ugly block of flats with a garish mural which adorns the entire flank wall. It seems like something from another country.

Where I live now there was much consternation when the Liberal Democrats, who ran the Council at that time and who are always keen to proclaim their green credentials, decided to allow a Housing Association development on the nearby allotments. Since then many of the council houses in our area have become occupied by Eastern Europeans and others from overseas. When I recently tried to put my name down for an allotment on the sole remaining site I was told there was a waiting list of at least forty people before me and I could be given no indication as to when I was likely to reach the top of the list. Prepare to put your name down when young if you wish to get one in this lifetime!

With the United States now converting a fifth of its corn to ethanol to provide approximately 3-4% of the fuel needed to run its cars and trucks, the price of food worldwide has rocketed. Coupled with that, the droughts in Australia and China have resulted in a shortage of rice which has caused some countries to cease exporting rice completely for fear of food riots.

Britain was last self sufficient in grain, meat and dairy in the 1830's and today self-sufficiency stands at only 60%, which makes us particularly vulnerable to a decline in food imports. During the last war when this was of concern, ten percent of our food was produced from gardens and allotments. It is hard to imagine such a figure could be reached today especially as many gardens in urban areas are now housing developments having been designated as 'brownfield sites'.

As for that allotment... look around for one and you could well look in vain, for where it used to be you may find instead an ugly block of flats housing people from other lands and giving us the responsibility of all those additional mouths to feed.

Who are these homes for?

ECO-TOWNS: what an oxymoron is that! How can a new town be ecologically friendly when it is built on a green field site which entails concretising over large areas of the countryside and destroying natural habitat?

You only have to think of all the additional traffic and congestion it will generate, free to spew pollutants into the air.

Take the small village of Micheldever in the North Hampshire Downs. Here in this delightful rural landscape of rolling hills and wooded copse: home to owls, bats and a rare pair of stone curlews, Eagle Star Insurance have plans to concrete over it and construct one of these new eco-towns.

Another eco-town is proposed near Couldwell and Roslington in South Derbyshire. Bank Development are planning a 5,700 unit settlement which will entail the felling of national forest trees and a new road to feed its new eco-town of 'Grovetown'. How eco-friendly is that!

It appears that 40% of these homes are to be affordable housing, but for whom?

The English are simply not replacing themselves, but they are now fleeing our ever increasingly crime-ridden cities to be replaced there by economic migrants. Surely if these economic migrants were told to stay in their own countries their carbon footprint would be lower, and that has to be good for the planet.

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New Labour's attack on the British pub

by Trisha Scott

OUR proud British heritage and culture have been under attack from New Labour since it came to power in 1997. We have seen our cultural and Christian festivals banned, renamed or watered down so as "not to offend those of other faiths".

The traditional games and pastimes enjoyed by generations of British children are banned or deemed "too dangerous" by the Establishment in its appeasement of the compensation culture.

In addition to these insidious inroads and savage assaults on our traditions, the local pub is now fast becoming an endangered entity. Inns, hostels or pubs, however they are termed, are icons of our culture. For hundreds of years, such places have played host to groups and individuals, whether to conduct business, for social purposes, or most commonly for a reward after a hard day's work.

In days gone by, inns would be identified by signs showing pictures, as the ability to read was not widespread in the general population. This no longer is the case, of course, although pictorial signs still adorn most pubs, and many are very ornate.

Naturally some pubs did close, but most villages had one, where the locals could go and enjoy their pint.

Then along came New Labour, armed with their sledgehammer, to introduce draconian measures aimed at our British drinking places.

The smoking ban has already had



LAST ORDERS: Britain's pubs have been hit by the smoking ban and increased duty on spirits, wine and beer.

a devastating effect on many pubs, both rural and urban. This, combined with the availability of cheap alcohol in supermarkets, has led to many former pub customers opting to buy cheap booze and stay at home, where they can enjoy their drink with a smoke in their own living room.

In addition, the recent increase in duty on alcoholic drinks announced in the Budget has further added to the woes of publicans.

At present, British pubs are closing down at the alarming rate of twenty-seven a week, and it is not only the village pubs which are being affected, many town and city ones have also gone.

The British Beer & Pub Association fears that at least 1000 pubs will be

lost this year. If this scenario continues, we could be seeing the end of our traditional British pub within the next few years.

There seems to be a hidden agenda behind Labour's attack on our pubs. Given that they seem to be quite happy with what appears to be creeping "Islamification" of our country, happy with the prospect of a super mosque in our capital city, can we assume that this apparent clampdown on our pubs is yet another step on the slippery path to Britain becoming an Islamic republic?

Our people need to wake up to what is going on and elect a Party which will safeguard our institutions, culture and traditions - the British National Party.

DIY dentistry - yet another symptom of Labour failure

LABOUR'S claim that more people than ever before are able to access our National Health Service for dental treatment has been exposed as yet another lie. New figures show that 3,500 patients per day lost access to NHS dental treatment in the last three months of 2007. In Yorkshire alone, more than 40,000 fewer adults are in receipt of dental care on the NHS since the reforms which were supposed to improve treatment cover were introduced.



NHS DENTIST: Patients losing access.

Small wonder then, that it is becoming more common to read about desperate people who have to resort to DIY dentistry, such as extractions with the help of a pair of pliers and a generous helping of whisky.

Our NHS was once the envy of the world, but successive governments, both Labour and Tory, have reduced it to the pathetic shambles that it now is - something which would shame any developing Third World nation.

This government, which is ever eager and willing to throw our money at dubious causes such as the European Union and overseas aid, would do well to remember that charity begins at home.

Indian launch rubs home Britain's space shame

We gave up dominion over earth and sky

LAST month India successfully launched another rocket into space, this time carrying a cluster of ten satellites.

The rocket lifted off from Sriharikota island in southern Andhra Pradesh state, carrying two Indian and eight foreign satellites. They are expected to provide data to enable India to plan rural and urban development. The satellites were deployed in orbit within minutes of each other and the entire operation lasted twenty minutes.

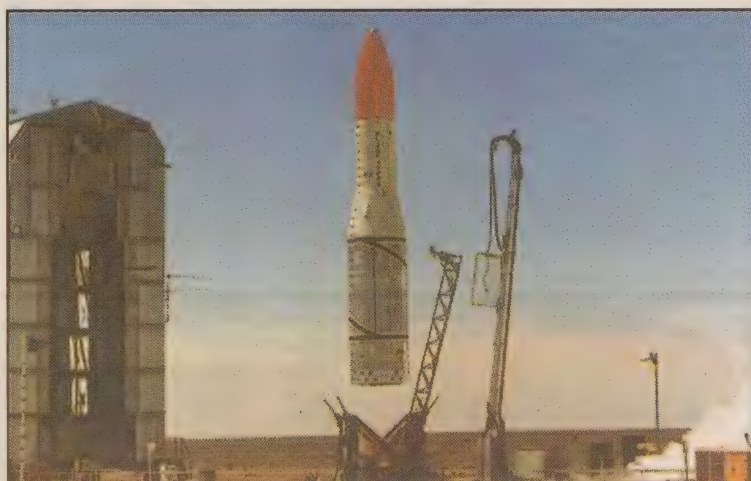
Such Indian space shots are now a regular occurrence. India established its space programme in 1963, and now regularly launches satellites into orbit, not just for itself but for paying customers including Israel and Italy. Britain launched its space programme in the 1950s. We launched a satellite into space in 1971, long before the

Indians did.

But then the Government pulled the plug on our space programme so our launchers don't earn us any money, they have been left to rust beside the ruins of our shut-down launch centre in Woomera in Southern Australia.

Back in 1971, the Minister in charge of the space project had actually cancelled it before the launch had taken place. However, there was enough hardware for the attempt, so permission was given to launch this flight. Britain's Black Arrow rocket worked perfectly, and on 28th October 1971, placed *Prospero*, Britain's first satellite, into orbit.

The decision by the project team to name the satellite after Shakespeare's magician who lays down his books and gives up dominion over Earth and Sky, was quite deliberate.



LAUNCH: The plug had already been pulled on the Black Arrow project when the rocket was launched from Woomera to take the *Prospero* satellite into space.

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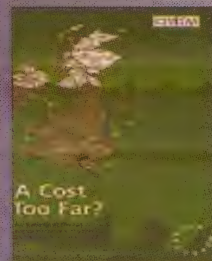
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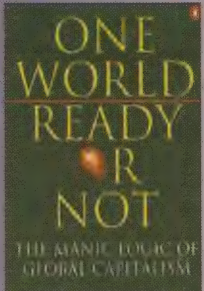
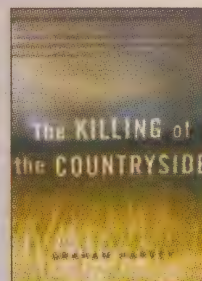
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BNP is the only party for our pensioners

IT WAS fitting that the first ever question from a British National Party representative in the Greater London Assembly was concerning Britain's pensioners. Richard Barnbrook asked the new London Mayor, Boris Johnson: "During your election campaign you promised all retired Londoners a 24 hour *Travel Freedom* pass. When will this pledge be honoured?"

The question took the new Mayor by surprise and he stuttered, "... at the new fare review next year sometime, I don't know exactly when."

It was a vague and evasive response which surprised even the Conservative Party representatives in the chamber. It seems that now the campaign is over, Boris doesn't see his election pledge to pensioners as a priority.

Looking after the interests of Britain's pensioners would be the priority for any British National Party Government. It is only right that those who have served this country the longest and paid the most in taxes and in national insurance should receive the benefit of this contribution.

Putting pensioners first when it comes to looking after their health and welfare makes commonsense and that is why our old folk would always be put to the front of the NHS queue.

When your working life is over and you are on a limited income, it is vital that the cost of essential services is maintained at a level that does not hurt you at this vulnerable stage. To ensure that our people have access to gas, electricity, water and public transport at a price they can afford, the BNP would bring these services back under state control - it is a scandal that Labour and the Tories have allowed private and in some cases foreign owned firms to make a profit out of supplying the essential services that we cannot live without.

The British National Party would re-open the Post Offices that this Labour Government has closed, and massively invest in local public transport. At the top of all pensioners' wish list is a cut in council tax and the BNP would be able to make significant reductions in what each household has to pay by stopping any further immigration and deporting all illegal immigrants and migrant workers which at a stroke, would not only relieve the pressure on housing and social services but also reduce the cost of them. We would cut red tape and political correctness within our police force and recruit new and re-train existing officers to do the job the public wants of them - to keep Britain's streets safe.

To implement our radical manifesto, especially with regard to immigration, the police, import controls, state ownership and the re-opening of our Post Offices would breach EU Directives passed by Brussels. Hence a BNP Government would leave the European Union at the earliest opportunity.

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COCKERMOUTH: Allerdale BNP promote their local election candidate in the high street of the West Cumbrian market town.

No more Hazel Blears

HAZEL Blears, the Minister for Social Cohesion, has announced a new initiative to monitor so called hot spots of potential racial tensions within the community.

The task has been assigned to our already under-funded local councils. Thereby adding yet another layer and cost to the burgeoning race relations industry.

If this country stopped immigration there would be no racial hot spots and no need for the appallingly expensive race relations industry. There would be no illegal immigrant problem, no spurious asylum seekers in numbers that defy common sense and no chronic pressures on our hospitals, schools and housing. Our prisons would not be full of foreign criminals, and terrorism and gun crime would be far lower. But most importantly, there would be no need for a Ministry of Social Cohesion, or Hazel Blears and her costly initiatives.

John Reed, Wolverhampton.

'Freedom' is ideal

WE have just received our May issue of *Freedom*, for which we have an overseas subscription, and we were delighted to see that the Party had done so well in the recent local council elections.

It is very difficult, where we are in Spain, to get any in-depth news of the elections because we are not very adept at using the internet. So receiving *Freedom* each month is the ideal medium for us to keep up-to-date with the latest developments. Well done to everyone working so hard on behalf of the Party.

John and Kit, Costa del Sol.

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It's Resusci Abdul!

THE Army Cadet Force have been told that they should return their first aid CPR training aid known as 'Resusci Annie' to headquarters for replacement.

A new version of 'Resusci Annie' comes with ethnic features as the previous replacement was deemed too 'White' and the MOD was required to order more ethnic types to satisfy the PC elite.

So the kids can now look forward to using 'Resusci Abdul' instead.

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Your Say

Letters to the Editor - freedom@bnp.org.uk

Migrant worker myth

I recently watched a refreshingly honest report on television which should lay to rest the myth that Britain needs East European immigrants, in order to survive.

For once, we were shown the reality of what it means to be a British job seeker in the face of competition from the Polish sector.

The pathetic adherence to the grossly racist mantra "they are doing the jobs that Brits won't do" makes me sick! That a very small percentage of unemployed "Brits" are bone idle and won't work, is not in doubt - this brand of workshy layabout has existed for generations, and yes, needs tackling. But this description of "idle Brits" is deeply offensive to the vast majority of the unemployed who cannot find a job.

If immigrant workers are so vital to the economy, could someone enlighten me as to who did the jobs that they have taken before they came.

Trisha Scott, Scarborough.

A kick in the ballots!

IF anyone had any doubt that the British worker has been sold down the river by New Labour they should have heard Harriet Harman on Radio 4's *Woman's Hour*.

She said she will actively positively discriminate to get Asian and Black women onto more local councils to "reflect the community".

Later the same day on ITV's *Tonight* programme, Harman's husband - Jack Dromey, New Labour's Treasurer, said that British workers must not be afforded any more rights than workers from Eastern Europe.

Just two more reasons why British workers should continue to kick the Labour Party in the ballots.

Rory Allason, London.

Britain and Tibet

WHAT is the difference between Britain's present plight and that of Tibet?

A people being displaced to become a minority in their own land.

Why is protest against this happening in Tibet acceptable, yet not so in Britain, where it is called racism?

Robin Unsworth, Oldham.

Socialism rejected

SINCE World War II, the doctrine of socialism has spread across the civilised world. Its basic tenets are one world, a shared economy, the free movement of people and an end to private property.

But it has been rejected by many of those it was intended to help. Tibetans and other ethnic groups are willing to die to achieve or regain their nationhood.

Africans are prepared to kill immigrants from other African countries to defend their culture and land.

Muslim countries have turned their back on socialism and returned to their traditional Sharia-based law.

It is human nature, nationalism and religion that people prefer to align to, not an out-dated doctrine promoted by politicians with only a superficial relationship to reality because of Political Correctness.

The only political model that will function based on reality is that of independent nations, with native populations cooperating at an international level while retaining the right to decide the composition and evolution of their own unique culture.

Philip Smeeton, email.

£1 per vote funding

IT IS time our MPs and councillors stopped acting as a breed of civil servants and let the political parties they represent pay their wages.

To be able to do this political parties should receive state funding in accordance with the level of support they receive at a General Election.

I would suggest £1 for each vote up to 100,000, then £5 a vote thereafter. A party getting 10million votes would be paid £50million a year up to the next General Election. They could pay their MPs and councillors what they wished by way of salaries and expenses, and the rules for taxation and expenses should be the same as for a private company.

There would be great incentives and advantages for people to vote. Even if they voted for a losing candidate, they would in effect be making a donation to the party of their choice.

David Rimington, Harrogate.

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Exclusive to British National Party members

Gill to take her first wing-walk at 61 to raise money for the Gurkhas

THE Solihull unit of the British National Party welcomed guest speaker Gill Bailey, to its June meeting and she moved everybody deeply with her story of the plight of one of the British Army's finest fighting forces, the Gurkhas.

"These men have been abandoned by this Labour Government after having served this country loyally for 200 years," she told the meeting.

But Gill believes the contribution of these brave loyal soldiers of the Queen may be needed again to protect these islands of ours from the increasing terrorist threat that we face.

She is raising funds for the Gurkhas by doing a sponsored 'wing-walk' which involves standing on the wing of a plane whilst it is taking off, then flying around and landing. Daunting you may think but added to this, Gill is 61 years of age!

"I am a 'virgin' wing walker and must admit I am scared silly," she said.

"But I feel so strongly about the sad situation these brave men are in that I feel I have to banish those fears."

"The plane is booked and paid for so please give what you can - these Gurkhas were and still are, prepared to fight and die for these islands."



BRAVE LADY: Gill Bailey with Andy Terry, Solihull BNP organiser, Mike Bell South Birmingham BNP organiser, and Alwyn Deacon, Midlands Election Officer.

Solihull BNP wished her the best of luck and raised £110 for her on the night. South Birmingham Organiser Mike Bell and Midlands Elections Officer Alwyn Deacon, who were at the meeting, said they would try and arrange a joint fund raising night for the Gurkhas and for another charity, Knowle based *Troop Aid*.

The British National Party in the

West Midlands regularly helps raise funds for our armed forces with the Knowle-based charity *Troop Aid* one of the recipients.

If you would like to make a donation to either cause, please forward your cheque, made payable to 'The Gurkhas Trust Fund' or 'Troop Aid', c/o Solihull BNP, PO Box 12409, Solihull, West Midlands, B37 8AD.



Happy anniversary for two BNP councillors

CATHY Duffy and Carol Collett celebrated one year of monthly Saturday morning surgeries in East Gosscote village hall last month.

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Cathy is a borough councillor for East Gosscote ward on Charnwood

Council and Carol is a councillor on Rothley Parish Council, which is also in Leicestershire.

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STOCKPORT BNP: Phil Everton, Steve Flood (Davenport & Cale Green), Duncan Warner (Manor), Richard Skill (Heald Green), Stephen Maher (Offerton), Warwick Reah, Paul Bennett (Reddish North), Gordon Black, George Thorne and Alan Stevens.

Establishing the BNP vote in Stockport

STOCKPORT BNP fielded six candidates in the elections for Stockport Council and pride of place on election night went to Stephen Maher for his 617 votes (18.8%) in Offerton ward, which was nearly 200 votes more than he had polled 12 months earlier.

In Manor ward, Duncan Warner improved on his vote and percentage of 2007 with 437 votes (13.8%),

while Paul Bennett's 402 vote in Reddish North was just 18 votes down on last year's total.

Steven Flood polled 7.1% in Davenport and Cale Green, while Richard Skill beat Labour in Heald Green. Even David Gordon, who polled the BNP's lowest vote in Stockport, still managed to finish ahead of the UKIP candidate and was just 17 votes from taking third place from Labour.



TEAM BASSETLAW: Philip Allen, BNP candidate David Otter and his wife Susan, Gina and Derek Butler, and Stephen Ray.

BNP poll 30% in Bassetlaw

BASSETLAW BNP organiser Dave Otter, took almost one in three of the votes in the Clayworth Ward of Bassetlaw District Council elections on May 1st.

The excellent BNP vote came in the face of a record turnout of 51%, which makes a nonsense of our opponents' claim that when there is a high turnout the BNP do badly.

The Clayworth Ward is typically middle England and has been a Conservative Party stronghold for many

years. There is virtually no immigration problem and little crime, which makes the result more remarkable. It shows that the British National Party is being taken seriously in areas where such a degree of support would not normally be expected.

BASSETLAW DISTRICT COUNCIL Clayworth Ward

Kath Sutton (Con)	461
David Otter (BNP)	243
Philip Goodliffe (Lab)	107
BNP Percentage: 30.0%	

Missing results from Oldham

APOLOGIES to Oldham BNP for missing out their results from last month's Election Special issue of *Freedom*.

Roy Goodwin scored 24.4% in Chadderton Central and Alwyn Stott maintained the British National Party's vote share in Shaw.

The Party has struggled to organise in Oldham in recent years, so both performances indicate that once the local branch is fully up and running again, success certainly be achieved in the town.

OLDHAM COUNCIL

Chadderton Central

Thursday 1st May 2008

John Hudson (Conservative)	966
Tony Brownridge (Labour)	866
Roy Goodwin (BNP)	660
Pat Lord (Liberal Democrat)	212
BNP Percentage: 24.4%	

Shaw

Howard Sykes (Liberal Democrat)	1496
Michael Canning (Conservative)	422
Alwyn Stott (BNP)	391
Dilys Fletcher (Labour)	303
BNP Percentage: 15.0%	



ROY GOODWIN: 660 votes (24.4%)

BNP win again in Gooshays ward in the GLA Top-Up List

BACK in February the British National Party scored a stunning victory in Gooshays ward for Havering Council when BNP candidate Mark Logan, received a 10% swing to secure a huge 38% share of the votes cast.

On May 1st voters in Gooshays ward once again made the British National Party their No.1 choice in the ward when the Party came first in the Top-Up List vote for the Greater London Assembly.

This show of support came after another BNP exposure of the Tory policies that were hurting the ordinary working people of Havering.



HAROLD HILL: Mark Logan briefs residents on the local housing scandal.

LONDON ASSEMBLY TOP-UP LIST

Gooshays Ward

British National Party	867
Conservative	818
Labour	538
UK Independence	145
Liberal Democrat	111

Only the BNP was prepared to highlight the council's local housing scandal that had 4,000 people in the borough on the council housing waiting list, many of whom would never get a council home. This was because the council-appointed East London Lettings Company was forcing local people to enter a 'bidding system' to make them compete for housing with

people from other London boroughs and immigrants who had only just arrived in Britain.

The British National Party said this practice was unacceptable and that a BNP-run council would only put the local people of Havering in the borough's social housing and not those from other parts of London or from overseas.

Mancunians now turning to the British National Party

IT was a good night for the British National Party in Manchester on May 1st when it polled the highest ever vote for a BNP candidate in the city.

In the face of possible electoral fraud, which is yet to be investigated, Derek Adams came second in Higher Blackley, receiving 828 votes which equates to 27% of the votes cast in the ward. In the neighbouring Charlestown ward, BNP candidate Stephen Moran, also came second with 687 votes just short of 24% of the vote.

In Miles Platting and Newton Heath, Joseph Cegla won 250 votes to place him in third position in a ward that has recently been flooded with foreign voters.

This was a tremendous achievement which makes the Party the official opposition in Higher Blackley and Charlestown wards. A fact that must be sending shivers down the spines of the Labour Party mafia who are running Manchester Town Hall and



HIGHER BLACKLEY: Derek Adams polled 828 votes which was 27% of those cast.

turning the city into a multicultural, lawless disaster area.

Derek Adams told *Freedom*:

"It has been a long time coming but people are finally seeing common sense and voting for a truly patriotic party with sensible solutions to our

problems. Although there is the worry that given the rate at which foreign voters are being brought into this country and being permitted to participate in our elections, it is cancelling out the influence of those now turning to the BNP."

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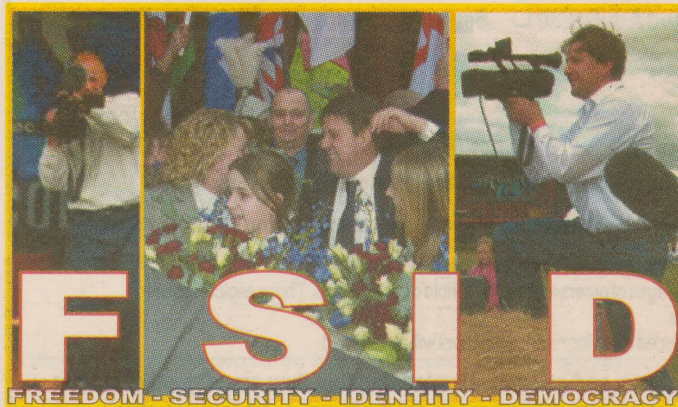
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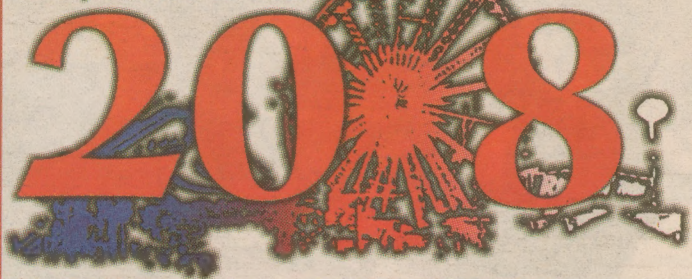
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